Table 19. Employed doctoral scientists and engineers in universities and 4-year colleges, by broad field of doctorate, sex, and tenure status: 1999

Field of doctorate/sex	Total	Tenured	Not tenured		Tenure not
			On tenure track	Not on tenure track	applicable
fields	240,080	124,040	37,390	25,980	52,670
Male	(73.5)	(81.7)	(66.3)	(61.9)	(65.0)
Female	(26.5)	(18.3)	(33.7)	(38.1)	(35.0
Sciences	213,840	108,840	33,100	23,710	48,190
Male	(71.2)	(79.8)	(63.5)	(60.1)	(62.7
Female	(28.8)	(20.2)	(36.5)	(39.9)	(37.3
Computer and information sciences	3,650	1,910	1,100	250	38
Male	(77.7)	(79.3)	(74.6)	(90.1)	(69.9
Female	(22.3)	(20.7)	(25.4)	S	(30.1
Mathematical sciences	14,820	10,640	1,840	1,120	1,22
Male	(86.1)	(90.5)	(69.1)	(80.6)	(78.2
Female	(13.9)	( 9.5)	(30.9)	(19.4)	(21.8
Biological and agricultural sciences	71,100	30,240	10,830	10,060	19,98
Male	(71.4)	(82.3)	(68.4)	(61.4)	(61.6
Female	(28.6)	(17.7)	(31.6)	(38.6)	(38.4
Health sciences	10,760	4,650	2,740	1,430	1,94
Male	(41.0)	(46.3)	(38.1)	(35.4)	(36.
Female	(59.0)	(53.7)	(61.9)	(64.6)	(63.
Physical and related sciences	37,570	18,430	5,120	3,860	10,16
Male	(86.6)	(90.8)	(80.6)	(81.6)	(83.9
Female	(13.4)	( 9.2)	(19.4)	(18.4)	(16.
Social sciences	46,870	29,310	7,370	3,390	6,80
Male	(70.6)	(77.2)	(60.4)	(57.4)	(59.
Female	(29.4)	(22.8)	(39.6)	(42.6)	(40.5
Psychology	29,070	13,660	4,100	3,610	7,71
Male	(54.6)	(67.7)	(45.7)	(37.2)	(44.2
Female	(45.4)	(32.3)	(54.3)	(62.8)	(55.8
Engineering	26,240	15,200	4,290	2,270	4,48
Male	(92.0)	(95.3)	(88.0)	(81.1)	(90.
Female	(8.0)	(4.7)	(12.0)	(18.9)	(10.0

**KEY:** S=Suppressed due to too few cases (fewer than 50 weighted cases).

NOTES: Percentage distribution is shown in parentheses. Numbers are rounded to nearest ten. Details may not add to total

because of rounding.

**SOURCE:** National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, 1999 Survey of Doctorate Recipients